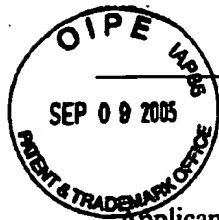


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| FEE CALCULATION | | | | |
|--------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| FEE TYPE | | FEE CODE | CALCULATION | TOTAL |
| Excess Claims > 20 | 32 - 28 = 4 | 2202 (\$25) | 4 x 25 = | \$100 |
| Independent > 3 | 4 - 4 = 0 | 2201 (\$100) | 0 x 100 = | \$0 |
| Multiple Claim | 1.16(j) | 2203 (\$180) | | \$0 |
| TOTAL FEE DUE | | | | \$100 |

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

| | (Column 1) | (Column 2) |
|---|---------------|--------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 28 | |
| FOR | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA |
| TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS | 28 minus 20 = | 8 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 4 minus 3 = | 1 |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

| | (Column 1) | (Column 2) | (Column 3) |
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| Total | 32 | 28 | 12 |
| Independent | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |

| | (Column 1) | (Column 2) | (Column 3) |
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| Independent | | | |
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| | (Column 1) | (Column 2) | (Column 3) |
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| Independent | | | |
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SMALL ENTITY TYPE ☐

| RATE | FEE |
|-----------|--------|
| BASIC FEE | 355.00 |
| X\$ 9= | 72 |
| X40= | 40 |
| +135= | |
| TOTAL | 467 |

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | FEE |
|-----------|--------|
| BASIC FEE | 710.00 |
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| TOTAL | |

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